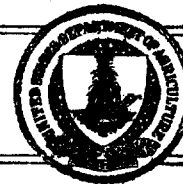


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**FEDERAL LAW REDUCES BAG ON
DUCKS AND GEESE IN CALIFORNIA**

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With the opening of the waterfowl hunting season in California on October 1, the Biological Survey of the United States Department of Agriculture calls attention to the fact that a person may legally kill no more than 15 in the aggregate of all species of wild ducks a day, nor more than 4 wild geese a day, under regulations of the Federal Migratory Bird Treaty Act. administered by that bureau.

The Federal regulations also provide for a maximum possession limit of two days' bag. In California, however, the maximum number that may legally be possessed at one time without violating either Federal or State law is 25 wild ducks and 8 wild geese. This is by reason of the fact that the State law limits possession to one day's bag, and the daily bag limit under State law is 25 wild ducks and 8 wild geese. In other words, the Federal limit prevails as to the number of waterfowl that may be killed in a day, while the State limit prevails as to the number that may be hold in possession at one time.

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